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## MEAT ANIMAL PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION, AND INCOME - 2019 SUMMARY

## **UNITED STATES HIGHLIGHTS**

Total 2019 production of cattle and calves and hogs and pigs for the United States totaled 85.3 billion pounds, up 1 percent from 2018. Production decreased 2 percent for cattle and calves but increased 5 percent for hogs and pigs.

Total 2019 cash receipts from marketings of meat animals increased slightly to \$88.3 billion. Cattle and calves accounted for 75 percent of this total and hogs and pigs accounted for 25 percent.

The 2019 gross income from cattle and calves and hogs and pigs for the United States totaled \$88.7 billion, up slightly from 2018. Gross income decreased 1 percent for cattle and calves but increased 5 percent for hogs and pigs from previous year's gross income.

Cash receipts from marketings of cattle and calves decreased 1 percent from \$67.0 billion in 2018 to \$66.2 billion in 2019. All cattle and calf marketings totaled 58.4 billion pounds in 2019, down 1 percent from 2018.

Cash receipts from hogs and pigs totaled \$22.0 billion during 2019, up 5 percent from 2018. Marketings totaled 41.6 billion pounds in 2019, up 5 percent from 2018.

For a full copy of the *Meat Animal Production, Disposition, and Income* report please visit <u>www.nass.usda.gov</u>. For state specific questions please contact:

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